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In re New Patent Application of )  
Masayuki ENDO et al. )  
Japanese Priority Application No. 2000-279295 ) Attn: Applications  
Japanese Priority Date: September 14, 2000 ) Branch  
For: ELECTRON BEAM ALIGNER, OUTGASSING )  
COLLECTION METHOD AND GAS )  
ANALYSIS METHOD ) Date: August 6, 2001

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Washington, D.C. 20231

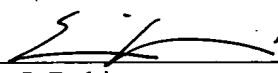
Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.56 and 37 C.F.R. 1.97-1.99, it is requested that the references listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 be made of record in the above-identified application.

At least some of the references listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 are discussed in the specification of the subject application.

Copies of the references are submitted herewith in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.98(a).

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